

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

To Ellen Terry.

Dear and beloved! What giving of dull gold,
Or roll of praise, or chronicle of fame,
Can pay the debt we owe? Thy radiant name
Shines on our hearts; when things and
ours are cold,
How shall the child who knew thee not
be told
Of Shakespeare's women, quickened in
the flame
Of thy surpassing sweetness, that became
New star-born visions, one, yet untried?
Faint and desire, the day and the day's
dreams
Lie shattered; but thy life-long glorious
part
It was to make things true, and that
which seems
Belated what is. Thy gift was to the
heart;
Therefore the heart in richest gladness
gives
An unattached love, that ripens and
outlives.
—Laurence Alma Tadema, in Westminster
Gazette.

Brilliant Wedding.

The wedding of Miss Sara W. Speer to Dr. Robert Christiana Craig, of the United States Navy, was celebrated in Emmanuel Episcopal Church, Allegheny, Pa., June 15th.

The church was beautifully decorated with palms and potted plants, and an orchestra of ten pieces discoursed sweet music, first at the church, and later, at the bride's residence, where an elegant and elaborate supper was served.

The bride entered the church with her uncle, Mr. Joseph Speer, who gave her away. She was exquisitely gowned in white chiffon cloth over tulle, and wore a harvest-moon diamond brooch, and a groom's bride gift.

The groom was attended by his best man, Dr. Wray Grayson, of New York. Among the ushers was Mr. Frederick Chandler, formerly of Salem, Va., now located in New York.

Dr. Craig is a popular young physician, who is by birth a Virginian and a graduate of Roanoke College and the University of Virginia. He has made a fine reputation during eight years of practice in New York and Pittsburgh.

Immediately after the reception, Dr. and Mrs. Craig, showered with rice and good wishes, left for Niagara Falls, where they will reside at No. 113 Southern Avenue, Carle, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Birth Party.

Miss Florence B. Crook entertained a number of her little friends Friday afternoon, it being her fifth birthday. After indulging in games, refreshments were faintly served and all the day. Among those present were Miss Catherine Bayless, Miss Annie Wise, Miss Mattie Bayless, Master Allen Hardy, Miss Dalmay Crook, Miss Edith Bayless, Master Edith Mitchell, Miss Mattie Bayless, Miss Theresa Wise, Master Severn Crook, Miss Florence Crook.

In Honor of Miss McLeod.

Miss Thes Goode, of Lynchburg, entertained delightfully at the Oakwood Club Friday evening in honor of Miss Josephine McLeod, of this city. Miss Frances Bendall, of Danville, and Miss Burrows, of Martinsville, who are the guests of Miss Janet Sneed, on Clay Street, Lynchburg.

Miss Camm Entertained.

Miss Gertrude Camm, who has been the guest of Mrs. Floyd Hughes in Norfolk, was one of the guests at a delightful luncheon given at the Virginia Club, Saturday, by Mr. Frank E. Wilcox. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hughes and Judge Allan R. Hancock.

Charming Hayride.

Mr. and Mrs. John Glickert gave a delightful hayride Thursday evening in honor of their guest, Miss Bessie Peters, of Roanoke. The merry party drove to the woods, where supper was served and the young people danced the hours away. Those in the party were: Misses Kate and Margaret Glickert, a Robyn Miller, Elizabeth Miller and Bessie Peters, of Roanoke; Ruth Weisiger and Carrie Blue, Dr. Lamond Walker, Messrs. J. R. Tuck, Frederick W. Thompson, Daniel Clarke, Harvey Coghill, P. H. Harris, H. J. Lester and C. H. Pacing. Mrs. John K. Glickert acted as chaperone.

McAden—Lacy.

State Treasurer and Mrs. Benjamin R. Lacy, of Raleigh, N.C., have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to Mr. Rufus Y. McAden, the wedding to take place Wednesday morning, June 27th, in the First Presbyterian Church at Raleigh.

Double Engagement.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Cooper, of Winchester, have announced the engagement of their daughters, Miss Katherine, to Mr. C. M. Smith, of Winchester, and Miss Bessie, to Mr. W. H. Rosserman, of Staunton. The double wedding will take place in the early fall.

Hopkins—Davies.

The marriage of Miss Florence May Davies, of Chase City, Va., to Mr. Albert Lloyd Hopkins, of Newport News, will be celebrated next Thursday at Whitehall, the home of the bride's father, Captain William Watkins Davies, near Chase City, Mrs. William Watkins Davies, Jr., of Louisville, Ky., will be matron of honor, and Mrs. F. A. Subalton, of Grand Mere, Canada, will act as best man. There will be no other attendants.

McGehee—Fraser.

The wedding of Miss May Olivia Fraser, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Milton McGehee, of Ballsville, Va., to Dr. J. W. McGehee, of Ridesville, N.C., will be celebrated at ten o'clock this morning in the Baptist Church at Ballsville, the Rev. Dr. John R. Bagby officiating.

The church will be decorated with growing plants and cut flowers. Miss Madge Curry Bagby will play Mendelssohn's and Schumann's Wedding Marches. Miss Edna Enrie McLaurine will be maid of honor, and Mr. Henry L.

Poems You Ought to Know.

Whatever your occupation may be, and however crowded your hours with affairs, do not fail to secure at least a few minutes every day for refreshment of your inner life with a bit of poetry.—Prof. Charles Elliot Norton.

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SONG FROM "PARACELSUS."

By ROBERT BROWNING.

This song from "Paracelsus" is a brilliant example of Browning's power over words and thought. The last three lines of the last stanza have been often marked for their great beauty.

HEAR cassia, sandal-buds and stripes
Of labdanum, and nioe-balls,
Smeared with dull hard Indian waxes
From out her hair; such balsam falls
Down seaside mountain pedestals,
From tree-tops where tired winds are faint,
Spent with the vast and howling main,
To treasure half their island gain.

II.

And strow faint sweetness from some old
Egyptian's fine worm-eaten shroud
Which breaks to dust when once unrolled;
Or shredded perfume, like a cloud
From closet long to quiet vowed,
With moth and dropping arras hung,
Mouldering her lute and books among,
As when a queen, long dead, was young.

On June 26th The Times-Dispatch published "My Old Kentucky Home" and said the author was unknown. As a matter of fact it was written by Stephen Collins Foster, and at the very time that it appeared in The Times-Dispatch the whole of Kentucky was celebrating this poem and its author. The error was due to the fact that the copy used for the poem had on it "Author Unknown," and by oversight this was inserted without waiting for the biographical sketch of Stephen Collins Foster, who was born in Pittsburgh, Pa., 1826, died New York, 1864.

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Trotter, of Ridesville, N. C., the best man.

Other attendants will be the bridesmaids, Misses Lucy Allen, Webb Wilson, Edith Lipscomb, Minnie Taylor, Martha Hanton, Louise Crowder, and Sallie McGehee; the ushers, Dr. R. H. Paddison, Messrs. Eddie Cosby, Arthur Lipscomb, Hunter Hurl, Allen Jeter, Milton McClaure, Bernard McLaurine and T. M. Tyler.

The bride will enter with the maid of honor. She will be gowned in green cloth over tulle, and carry a bride's roses. The maid of honor will be Miss Bessie Peters, of Roanoke. Bridesmaids' toilets will be of French mousseline, en princesses. Master Romulus Sanders and little Mary Franklin Sanders will precede the bride, scattering roses.

A reception was given last night in the home of the bride to out-of-town guests and intimate friends. Wedding gifts of silver, cut-glass and bric-a-brac made a handsome display.

The bride and groom will go North for their wedding tour, and afterward make their home at Ridesville, N. C.

The bride is a graduate of the State Normal School at Farmville, Va., and a member of Alpha Chapter Zeta Tau Alpha fraternity. She has visited in Richmond and has many friends here.

Guests attending the wedding will include:

Misses Sallie McGehee, of Madison, N. C.; Edith Lipscomb, of Richmond; Minnie Taylor, of Roanoke; Martha and Minnie Blanton, of Farmville; Lucy A. Allen, of Amelia; Louise and Mattie Crowder, of Ridesville; Messrs. Henry L. Trotter, of Ridesville, N. C.; Edward Cosby, of Richmond; Arthur Lipscomb, of Richmond; P. M. Tyler, of Roanoke; Milton McClaure, of Richmond; James Plippen, of Owensboro, Ky.; Mrs. Mary Hobson, of Chatham, Ky.; Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Hurl, of Chester, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Crowder, of Richmond; Dr. R. H. Paddison, of Oak Ridge, N. C.; and Dr. J. A. Williams, of Greensboro, N. C.

Personal Mention.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Frank E. Beatty, of Washington, D. C., have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McCormick Greene, of "Ben Venue," in Rappahannock, and of Mrs. Basil Gordon, at "Wakenfield Manor."

Mrs. M. D. Eastwood has returned from a visit to "The Breakers," Virginia Beach.

Mr. Walter A. Faber attended the commencement exercises of Woodlawn Seminary in Gordonsville Friday evening.

Miss Rosa Clayton is visiting Miss Edna Faber, in Gordonsville, this week, and attending the closing exercises of Woodlawn Seminary.

Miss Evelyn Acker, daughter of former State Senator John Acker, of Harrisonburg, Va., is spending a few days in Richmond before going to South Hill to attend the Grays-Warren wedding next Thursday.

Mr. Moffatt Robinson is visiting his sister, Mrs. J. McD. Robinson, in Fincastle, Va.

Misses Laura and Mammie Dowell are the guests of their aunt, Mrs. William Dean, in Newport News.

Mrs. Leon Stein is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Nathan, in Lynchburg.

Miss Mary Simpson has returned from a visit to Danville.

Miss Lillie Jennings is visiting Mrs. W. C. Riersen, in Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Bailes and Master Lynn Bailes have returned to Richmond, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. R. G. Watkins, in Gordonsville.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Agnes Lewis Seiden, daughter of Mrs. S. P. Seiden, of Baltimore, to Mr. James R. McClure, of Philadelphia.

Mr. G. T. Lemon is visiting his family in Roanoke.

Miss Blanche Evans is the guest of her uncle, Mr. W. P. Cousins, in Danville.

Mr. Harry B. Woodward spent Sunday in Staunton with his wife and children, who are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Woodward, in that city.

Mr. George T. Wren, of Berkeley, is in the city on business.

Miss Gertrude Camm has returned from a visit to Norfolk, where she was the guest of Mrs. Floyd Hughes.

The Woman's Club, of Norfolk, has issued cards to six lectures to be given by Dr. H. H. Powers, of the Bureau of University Travel, of Boston, Chicago, Paris and Berlin. The subject of the lectures will be "The High Italian Renaissance."

Miss Nellie Eames, of Richmond, and Miss Pearl McKee, of New York, are the guests of Mrs. N. N. Eames, in Newport News.

Mrs. L. K. Shepherd is the guest of

Mrs. Jeter C. Kaufman, in Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fraser are spending the summer at Lewisburg, Va. Mr. and Mrs. A. Brinkley Miller, of Staunton, are their guests.

Mrs. Luther Warren is the guest of Mrs. George Cunningham, in Augusta, Ga.

Miss Madge Bolling has returned from a pleasant stay at Ocean View.

Mr. Willard Smoot has returned to Staunton, after spending several weeks here.

Miss Hattie Shields is the guest of Miss Bessie Merritt, in Hamilton Avenue, Norfolk.

Mrs. Frank Eugene Stacy spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Putnam Watkins, in Lynchburg.

Miss Lucile B. Kilby, of Portsmouth, is visiting relatives in this city.

Miss Nora Kranch, who has been visiting relatives in Norfolk and Richmond, has returned to her home in Bluefield, W. Va.

Mrs. W. C. Caldwell, of Lynchburg, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. M. Scott Sublett, No. 501 East Leigh Street, left for her home yesterday.

Miss Gertrude Smith has returned to her home in Newport News, after a visit to relatives in this city.

The Rev. R. T. Wilson visited Petersburg yesterday.

Mr. Thomas Atkinson and family are spending the summer at "Rocklands," their handsome colonial residence, near Somerset, Va.

Mrs. Anderson Smith is the guest of Misses Annie and Rebecca Wear, in Lynchburg.

Mrs. Robert Strange, of Wilmington, N. C., is the guest of Mrs. William Weddell, in Petersburg.

Mrs. W. T. Hutchinson, who was taken suddenly ill some time ago, while visiting her mother, Mrs. A. R. Castleman, in Berryville, Va., has returned to her home here, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Annie Carol Hutchinson. Mrs. Hutchinson's health is now much improved.

Miss Lulu O. Phillips is the guest of Mrs. Prichard, in Berkeley.

Miss Mary Urner has returned from Asheville, N. C., where she attended the convention of the Young Woman's Christian Association.

Mr. H. H. Dickey, of Christiansburg, is undergoing treatment at Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Pryor Jones, of Petersburg, came to Richmond to the meeting of the U. D. C. Ways and Means Committee on Saturday.

Mrs. E. A. Alderman has gone to the Adirondacks to spend the summer.

The family of the Rev. W. E. Robertson, pastor of Randolph Street Baptist Church, are spending the summer at Otter Mills, Mecklenburg county.

Resume To-morrow.

The State Corporation Commission will resume its hearing of the freight rate cases to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock. Mr. A. H. Plant, comptroller of the Southern, will again take the stand for the Southern Railway on cross-examination.

Into New Quarters.

The work of moving the offices of the Commissioner of Agriculture from the Library to the Capitol building will be begun to-day or to-morrow. The rooms now used by the department will be given to the Supreme Court.

Captain Marye Here.

Captain P. Thornton Marye, of Atlanta, is in the city on a visit to his father, Colonel Morton Marye.

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OPENING DAY OF PUBLIC PLAYGROUND

Mayor Promises to Do His Part to Have Grounds Enlarged. Need Equipment.

The children's playground at Nineteenth Street was opened yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock by Mayor McCarthy and Mr. Charles R. Cooke. A large company of children were in attendance.

Mr. Cooke, who was the first to speak, congratulated those who have labored so hard for the establishment of the grounds. Mayor McCarthy followed with a short address. He said that the work of those people who had at last secured such an excellent playing park, was highly commendable, and that he would do his part to have the grounds enlarged.

The yard is so situated that it gets plenty of fresh air and sunshine. On one side runs a long shed, under which shade and coolness can be secured in the warmer hours. In the basement of the Methodist Institute for Children, at Nineteenth and Main Streets, which opens to the north end of the yard, are several large tubs and shower baths, and at all times of the day the children have and will take advantage of bathing.

The ground rules are very strict, but are always for the friendly interest of the children. A sort of military system is used by which little companies are organized, each with a captain, to whom each squad is responsible, and they, in turn, are responsible to the teachers in charge. Mrs. W. P. Turner and Miss Kate Staples will be at the head of the government of the rest of this month and July. Others will be appointed at the end of their service.

A rule has been made by which the smaller children will have exclusive use of the yard in the morning; the larger boys and girls will be admitted in the afternoon.

Those interested in the playground are well pleased with the present conditions, but realize that there are not sufficient swings, hammocks and other paraphernalia. Nor have all the necessary funds been collected. Any games in the way of quills or croquet sets will be gladly received.

MR. KOINER WORKING.

Commissioner of Agriculture Writes of His Trip.

A letter has been received here from Commissioner of Agriculture Geo. W. Koiner, who is abroad in the interest of immigration.

The Commissioner says he has been in attendance upon the sessions of the Agricultural Society of England, and enjoyed the proceedings very much. He has visited the splendid stock farm of the Rothschilds and greatly admired the fine herds of cattle he saw there.

The letter from Mr. Koiner was to his family, and in it he said nothing about the progress he is making on the subject of immigration.

The Commissioner will be about for several months.

TAKEN FOR BURGLARS.

Chief Werner and Detective Wren Visit West End.

Chief of Police Werner and Detective Wren were out in the West End Sunday night to look over that district, which has lately been terrorized by burglars. While out there they held up a young man, who looked like a suspicious character, but he proved otherwise.

During their investigation they were taken for burglars. A lady called up the chief yesterday and said a large man with a mustache and a small gray-haired man had prowled suspiciously about her house the night before. She described their movements minutely; but was ultimately convinced by the chief that she had misjudged himself and Detective Wren.

Colored Physician Dies.

Dr. J. H. Gray, a well-known negro physician in this city, was found dead by Emma Graves, a servant, in his office at 248 East Main Street, yesterday morning at 5 o'clock.

Coroner Taylor viewed the remains and came to the conclusion that the man had died from an acute attack of cholera morbus, caused from eating too heartily of vegetables.

Dr. Gray was sixty years old and lived with his wife at Twenty-fourth and Main Streets. He had been ill since Saturday night.

Sunday School Picnic.

The Cathedral Sunday school will have their picnic today at Westhampton Park. Ten cars have been chartered, and a good time away from the noise and bustle of the city is promised to all who go out.

Some of the amusements are music, boating and a game of baseball.

To Visit His Mother.

Rev. E. W. Stone, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church, left yesterday for Roanoke to visit his mother, who is quite sick. He expects to return the latter part of the week.

Lewis is Respected.

Governor Swanson yesterday granted a respite of thirty days to Robert Lewis, colored, of Allegheny county, who is under death sentence for murder. The negro was to be executed next Friday.

Mr. Eggleston Here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Eggleston, of Lawrenceville, are in the city, and are accompanied by Mrs. Eggleston.

Walton—Gentry.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FRIDDERICKSBURG, VA., June 25.—J. Henry Walton, of Richmond, and Miss Bette Gentry, of Louisa county, were married last Wednesday at the Methodist Church at Louisa Courthouse, by Rev. R. T. Clarke.

Long—Thornhill.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) FRIDDERICKSBURG, VA., June 25.—J. B. Long, of Orange, and Miss Madeline C. Thornhill, of Culpeper county, were married Thursday night at the Baptist Church, at Jefferson, Culpeper county, by Rev. Dr. Thornhill.

GIVES VERDICT ON BOY'S DEATH

Clarence T. Farley Died by Accident, Drowning in Pool of Water.

NEWS FROM HENRICO COURTS

Negro Thieves, Who Stole Watches from Parson, Given Ninety Days.

A coroner's jury, empaneled yesterday by Dr. Doss, the county coroner, to hold inquest over the body of little Clarence T. Farley, returned the verdict—

"That Clarence T. Farley came to his death about 9:30 o'clock P. M. June 24th by falling over bank and into water hole and sand pit operated by Mrs. Harbrough and William H. Brauer. There being no adequate fence or other protection to prevent any pedestrian from falling into the same water hole, and possibly meeting the same fate that Clarence T. Farley met, we further recommend that the owners of this property be required to immediately erect ample fence protection to prevent future accidents."

Before this verdict was given the pit containing the pool was carefully examined by the jury.

The funeral of the boy will take place this afternoon at 4 o'clock. Interment will be made in Oakwood Cemetery. The services will be conducted at the grave by Rev. John W. Daugherty, pastor of the Apostolic Church.

Circuit Court Jurors.

The United States Circuit Court will begin its session at the Henrico Courthouse next Monday. The grand jurors who will sit at the court, are Messrs. H. M. Nelson, W. D. Grover, M. S. Shirk, J. Morris Carter, F. A. P. Thornton, Alexander Brown, H. C. Beattie, L. B. Quarles, R. M. Cross, C. B. Cottrell, John C. Enslay and Major Burrows.

Cephia Cough and Emmett Carrington, negro thieves, who were captured through the efforts of Constable Angle, were convicted of larceny and sentenced to ninety days in jail by Squire Angle at the Henrico Courthouse yesterday.

The negroes stole two silver watches from the home of Rev. A. E. Jeffries, pastor of the Union Level Methodist Church, several days ago, and the preacher testified against them.

Crouch has made a confession, giving the names of the gang of thieves with whom he operated, and it is expected that these will be run to earth in a short time.

Fined for Trespass.

John Wallace was up before Squire Lewis at the Henrico Courthouse yesterday for prowling about the yards of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad. The magistrate fined him \$2.50 for trespassing.

Edward Jackson, nineteen years old, was brought from the Laurel Reformatory to the Henrico county jail Sunday by Sheriff C. O. Burch. Jackson tried to escape from the reformatory Saturday night, and Superintendent J. L. Emmons swore out a warrant against him. A. C. Holden, night watchman, also swore out one for his threatening to injure him. Jackson was some time ago sentenced to the penitentiary, but was sent to the reformatory instead for carbocking in Danville.

Workmen were busy yesterday putting the engines in the new Henrico county jail. There has been some difficulty in procuring the stone for the building, but now Contractors Rasland & Slaughter say they have secured plenty of the necessary article. They are sure that November 1st will see the completion of the building.

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